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15 October 1948

Preparatory Commission for the International Refugee Organization,
United States Zone

Date Visited: 3 September 1948

GENERAL

1. A representative of the commission was visited to make arrangements for Foreign Documents Branch to receive regularly all Displaced Persons publications in the U.S. zone. We were told that it would be necessary to go to Bad Kissingen, Germany to affect these arrangements. As we did not have time to go there, we found on further inquiry that Civil Affairs Division (CAD) in Washington, D. C. could authorize this request.

2. Upon the return of this party from Europe, CAD was contacted regarding these publications. A cable was sent by CAD, DA to Headquarters, EUCOM on 9 October 1948 requesting that all Displaced Persons publications published in the U.S. zone and, if possible, in the British and French zones be sent directly to FDB, CIA on a continuing basis. An answer to this cable was received on 13 October 1948 stating that action had been taken (see Appendix 1).

RECOMMENDATIONS

3. None.

Incl: 1

EUCOM reply to cable of 9 Oct 48

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INCOMING CLEAR MESSAGE

From: Hq EUCOM Heidelberg Germany sgd Huebner cite ECGCA
To: CSUSA Wash DC for Chief CAD
Info: OMGUS
Nr: SC-18635 13 October 1948

Reference urad WX-90568 dated 9 October 1948.

1. Action has been taken to insure direct distribution to address mentioned in reference cable of all displaced persons publications (newspapers and periodicals) authorized to be published in the US Zone, Germany.

2. Authorities of British and French Zones, Germany, have been approached to obtain displaced persons publications published in their occupied area. You will be advised when arrangements have been completed.

ACTION: CAD

INFO : CAD (STATE), ID (CIA)

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